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In re patent application of:) Date: October 24, 2005
 Ronald P. Sansone) Attorney Docket No.: E-985
 Serial No.: 09/818,800) Customer No.: 00919
 Filed: March 27, 2001) Group Art Unit: 3629
 Confirmation No.: 9888) Examiner: Jon M. Bass

Title: MESSAGING SERVICES FOR UNIQELY IDENTIFIED MAIL

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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In response to the August 25, 2005, Final Rejection please consider the following:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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